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English Language Declaration

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled PRINTED WIRING BOARD-FORMING SHEET, VIA HOLE-FORMING METHOD, RESIN SHEET HAVING FILLED VIA HOLE, PRINTED WIRING BOARD, AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, the specification of which

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☒ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on May 1, 2000 as

Application Serial No. PCT/JP00/02879

and was amended on _____
(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, See the attached sheet, please.

in See the attached sheet, please., residing
and

have invented certain new and useful improvements entitled ***
PRINTED WIRING BOARD-FORMING SHEET, VIA HOLE-FORMING METHOD, RESIN SHEET HAVING FILLED VIA
for which we have this day executed an application for United
States Letters Patent;

1) MITSUI MINING & SMELTING CO., LTD.

AND, WHEREAS 2) SUZUKI CO., LTD.

corporation of Japan having a
place of business at 1) 11-1, Osaki 1-chome, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo 141-8584, Japan
and 2) ***
hereinafter called the "assignees", is desirous of acquiring the
entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and
the inventions and improvements therein disclosed.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One (\$1.00) Dollar
and other good and valuable consideration paid to us by said
assignee, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we do
hereby assign, sell, transfer, and set over unto said assignee
the entire right, title and interest in and to said application
and the inventions and improvements therein disclosed for the
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as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and
enjoyed by us had this assignment not been made.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is requested
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inventions, and improvements, that the same are unencumbered,
that no license has been granted to make, use, or vend the said
inventions or improvements or any of them, and that we have the
full right to make this assignment.

And for the consideration aforesaid, we agree jointly
and individually that we will communicate to said assignee or the
representatives thereof any facts known to us respecting said
inventions and improvements, and will, upon request, but without
expense to us, testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful
papers, execute all divisional, reissue, continuation, renewal,
and/or extension applications, make all rightful oaths, and
generally do all other and further lawful acts, deemed necessary
or expedient by said assignee or by counsel for said assignee, to
assist or enable said assignee to obtain and enforce full
benefits from the rights and interests herein assigned. This
assignment shall be binding upon our heirs, executors,

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administrators, and/or assigns, and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and/or assigns, as the case may be, of said assignee.

EXECUTED December 20, 2000.

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